



February 22 - 23, 2021

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"If you don't live your life, then who will?" – Rihanna

"There is but one coward on earth, and that is the coward that dare not know." – W. E. B. Du Bois

"When words become unclear, I shall focus with photographs. When images become inadequate, I shall be content with silence." – Ansel Adams

"Every man takes the limits of his own field of vision for the limits of the world." – Arthur Schopenhauer

"If there is no struggle, there is no progress. Those who profess to favor freedom, and yet depreciate agitation, are men who want crops without plowing up the ground. They want rain without thunder and lightning. They want the ocean without the awful roar of its many waters. This struggle may be a moral one; or it may be a physical one; or it may be both moral and physical; but it must be a struggle." – Frederick Douglass

"Careful the things you say, children will listen. Guide them along the way, children will see and learn. Children may not obey, but children will look to you for which way to turn; to learn what to be! Careful before you say "Listen to Me." Children will listen." – Into the Woods (Sondheim/Lapine)

"To be positive at all times is to ignore all that is important, sacred or valuable. To be negative at all times is to be threatened by ridiculousness and instant discredibility." – Kurt Cobain

“A positive attitude may not solve all your problems, but it will annoy enough people to make it worth the effort.” – Herm Albright

VIDEO OF THE DAY

Nō Studios Artist Grant Promo

Nō Studios

Also

John Ridley's Nō Studios launches \$100K grant program for Wisconsin artists
WISN

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CBS 58 | WDJT

Brazilian artist teams up with UW-Stout for unique music video

WI Proud

Ripon honors Polka legend for 50 years of service

WeAreGreenBay.com

Faces of Wisconsin: Artist Panel Discussion

Cedarburg Art Museum

Greg Zelek — Streamed Organ Performance

Madison Symphony Orchestra

Chick Corea

Bill Geist's Zeitgeist

The danger of a single story | Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

TED

Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to artsboard@wisconsin.gov!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW State Should Invest in Creative Economy

Op Ed | Urban Milwaukee

NEW Nō Studios Artist Grant: Grants for Wisconsin Creatives

Nō Studios

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NEW NCN Articles of Interest | February 19, 2021

National Creativity Network

NEW Webinar: COVID-19 Public Health Issues and the Arts, part 2

Wisconsin Arts Board and Arts Wisconsin

February 25 | 9-10 am.

Also

Recording: COVID-19 Public Health Issues and the Arts, part 1

Wisconsin Arts Board and Arts Wisconsin

NEW The Path Forward

Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Tourism

March 16, April 1, 20, May 6

Consider attending all four days. If you cannot, those interested in cultural tourism will want to focus on the **April 20** agenda.

Wisconsin Artists and Arts Organizations: Participate in the New COVID-19 Impact Surveys Today! (links below)

Americans for the Arts and Artist Relief

Americans for the Arts and Artist Relief have released new versions of their COVID-19 Impact on the Arts Surveys. The findings will power our collective ongoing advocacy work to ensure the arts are part of the billions of dollars in relief and recovery funding.

We urge all arts and cultural organizations to complete the new **COVID-19 Impact Survey for Organizations**. This revised survey enables us to continue tracking the human and financial impacts of COVID-19 on arts organizations as well as understand the challenges with recovery and re-opening. All types of arts and cultural organizations should participate.

Americans for the Arts and Artist Relief, with support from the Ford Foundation, have launched a new **COVID-19 Impact Survey for Artists**. This revised survey enables the partners to gauge what is happening to our creative economy and address what is needed to provide relief and spur recovery. All types of creative workers should participate: practicing artists, culture bearers, educators and teaching artists, creative entrepreneurs,

and hobby artists). Please share this link with your artist networks. Each week, Americans for the Arts publishes its updated [COVID-10 Research Update](#) that tracks the ongoing human and financial impacts of the COVID-19 crisis on the arts. As the virus continues to rage in our communities, so does its devastation of the nation's arts sector. Cancellations have taken place at virtually every arts organization across the country, 1 in 10 arts businesses doubt their ability to survive, and two-thirds of the nation's artists are now unemployed. Use this weekly update to keep informed.

NEW 2021 Marketplace Re-opening Materials

Covering Wisconsin

Need health insurance but don't know where to turn? Covering Wisconsin can help.

In Case You Missed It: NEA Acting Chairman Ann Eilers' Statement on Black History Month Grantmakers in the Arts

UPDATED Shuttered Venue Operators Grants - FAQ (sba.gov)

US Small Business Administration

More information on the Shuttered Venue Operators Grants (SVOG) can be found on the SBA website: [Shuttered Venue Operators Grant \(sba.gov\)](#).

Archived Webinar: Shuttered Venue Operators Grant Overview

US Small Business Administration

Summary: Save Our Stages Act

National Independent Venue Association

ANALYSIS: COVID-19's Impacts on the Arts and Culture

COVID-19 RSFLG Data and Assessment Working Group

For resources to help you move through this current crisis, please check out our [COVID-19 and the arts in Wisconsin webpage](#)

Job Opportunities

Managing Director, Strategic National Arts Alumni Project

University of Texas at Austin (Remote Position)

Deadline: Until Filled

Careers

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Deadline: Various

Development and Engagement Manager

Bergstrom-Mahler Museum of Glass

Deadline: Until Filled

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AIGA Wisconsin

Deadline: Until Filled

[Board Treasurer | Master Singers of Milwaukee](#)

Jobs That Help

Deadline: Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | Director of Programs](#)

Arts@Large

Deadline: Until Filled

[Executive Director | Bergstrom Mahler Museum of Glass](#)

The QTI Group

Deadline: Until Filled

[Member Services Associate](#)

Museum of Wisconsin Art

Deadline: Until Filled

Deadlines | Resources | Events

[Anti-Racism as Organizational Compass](#)

National Guild for Community Art Education

Through February 22

[Rootwork | Grounding Community Arts Education Beyond the Pandemic](#)

National Guild for Community Arts Education

Through February 24

[Museums Advocacy Day](#)

American Alliance of Museums

February 22 – 23 (Register by January 19)

[Financial Well-Being for Artists](#)

Creative Capital

February 23

[2021 Cultural Wealth Conference: The Role of the Arts and Cultural Capital in Rural Innovation and Entrepreneurship](#)

Rural Policy Research Institute

February 23, 25

[The Power of Real Talk to Make Real Change](#)

Real Talk for Real Change | UW–Madison School of Education's Offices of Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (OEDI) and Professional Learning and Community Education (PLACE)

February 25

Virtual Event on March 4, 2021, Showcases 2020 National Heritage Fellows

National Endowment for the Arts

March 4

“Visit the Stevens Point, Wisconsin, home of [Karen Ann Hoffman](#) (Oneida Nation of Wisconsin), as she demonstrates the distinctive Haudenosaunee Raised Beadwork, and learn about her efforts to use this tradition to respond to contemporary issues.”

“Watch as [Wayne Valliere](#) (Lac du Flambeau Ojibwe) (Lac du Flambeau, Wisconsin)—one of only a handful of Native birchbark canoe builders today in the United States—shares his craft, highlighting its significance in the Anishinaabe culture.”

Roots of Democracy

Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters

March 4, March 25, April 15

[Virtual] 2021 NAEA National Convention, taking place March 4-7

National Art Education Association

March 4 – 7

Request for Applications

Citizens' Institute for Rural Design

Deadline: March 12

Applications Are Now Open to Artists & Managers

gener8tor Music Milwaukee

Application period closes March 14

[Artist Application](#)

[Manager Application](#)

National Endowment for the Arts Accepts Nominations for 2021 National Medal of Arts

National Endowment for the Arts

Deadline: March 15

Introduction to Festival Safety: The Art of Mass Gatherings Approach

Performing Arts Readiness

March 15

Hip Hop in the Heartland

Professional Learning and Community Education | UW-Madison

March 20, May 22

gener8tor Art applications available February 1

gener8tor Art

Deadline: March 27

You are also invited to attend a series of free, virtual professional development workshops and webinars.

Hint: Attending these will help with your gener8tor Art application. Space is limited, so sign up to reserve your spot!

Preparing for a Virtual Studio Visit

Speaker: Ninth Street Collective

Wednesday, February 24, 6:30PM CT

Digital Strategies for Artists

Speaker: Mark Rosen

Wednesday, March 10, 6:30PM CT

gener8tor Launches Second Annual CommUNITY Growth Summit

gener8tor

March 30 – April 1

2021 National Arts Action Summit

Americans for the Arts

April 5 – 9 | Virtual

NEW 2021 “Virtual” Severe Weather Summit

Event Safety Alliance

April 6 – 27

Announcing the GIG Fund

Arts Midwest

Deadline #1: May 3 for projects happening July through December, 2021

Deadline #2: November 3 for projects happening January through June, 2022

Arts Midwest will host an informational webinar about the GIG Fund, including how to apply, on **March 2, 2021 at 11am Central**. Register [here](#).

#AAM2021 Registration is open

American Alliance of Museums

May 24 and June 7 - 9 | Virtual

The Convention, Sports & Entertainment Facilities Conference

P3C

June 17 - 18 | San Diego

POSTPONED 2020 Conference

Association of Midwest Museums & Wisconsin Federation of Museums

July 2021 | Milwaukee

2021 Wisconsin Science Festival

Wisconsin Science Festival

October 21 – 24

Online Workshops and Conversations

Creative Capital

Various

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

Obituary | Fanny Garver

Madison.com, Legacy.com

Artist leaves behind a legacy in Janesville, Beloit

GazetteXtra

Token Jewelry Prepares to Glitter in a New Setting

Volume One Magazine

Milwaukee Public Museum Applauds Governor Evers' Proposed Funding of New Museum in Capital Budget

Urban Milwaukee

Milwaukee Public Museum could get new name and \$40 million under governor's budget plan

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Governor Proposes \$4 Million To Support New Historical Society Museum

WORT 89.9

Smithsonian's National Museum of the American Indian Announces Six New Members Will Join its Board of Trustees in 2021

Red Lake Nation News

"The Museum approaches deaccessioning with the same degree of strategy and deliberation as we apply to acquisitions."

The Art Law Blog

Charles Gaines on Deaccessioning

The Art Law Blog

Arturo Di Modica, Sculptor of the 'Charging Bull', Dies at 80

The New York Times

Arts and Creativity in Education

[Music teacher brings world beat to online learning amid COVID-19 pandemic](#)
Wisconsin State Journal

[Classics for Kids Foundation Invites Applications From K-12 Music Programs](#)
PND by Candid
Deadline: March 31

[Know Your Madisonian: UW-Madison professor is teacher, actress, director, model, author](#)
Wisconsin State Journal

[Beloit College: Powerhouse celebrates one year since grand opening](#)
WisBusiness.com

Community Arts

[Nō Studios Plans to Give up to \\$100,000 to Wisconsin Artists](#)
Milwaukee Magazine

Also
[Milwaukee's No Studios pledges \\$100K annually to support Wisconsin artists](#)
Milwaukee Business Journal

[Local Black History You Should Know](#)
OpEd | Urban Milwaukee, Milwaukee Neighborhood News Service

[New MadREP CEO Jason Fields is ready to grow the region's economy, pandemic or not](#)
The Capital Times

[Three Mayors on Their \(Very Real\) Challenge to Silicon Valley's Dominance](#)
OneZero | Medium

[Cultural institutions start to put their assets to work for mission](#)
ImpactAlpha | Upstart Co-Lab

Folk Arts/Folklife

[Native Arts & Cultures Foundation Welcomes Applications for Early Career Support](#)
PND by Candid
Deadline: March 16

Literary Arts/Libraries

[LOCAL LIT: 'Red Dots'](#)
Volume One Magazine

[Our Authors: Racine author's first book is on free speech](#)
Racine Journal Times

[The Importance Of Libraries During The Pandemic](#)
Wauwatosa, WI Patch

[Quincy Troupe | Sonic Fireflies](#)
Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

[Jacqueline Jones LaMon | Six](#)
Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Media Arts

[Black Lens MKE - Black Love and Black Women's Worth](#)
Black Oxygen

[Our Favorite Wisconsin Comedians](#)
The Cabin | Discover Wisconsin

[In 'Beginners,' Author Makes The Case To Never Stop Learning Something New](#)
Central Time | Wisconsin Public Radio

[Golden Globes voters in tumult: Members accuse Hollywood Foreign Press Assn. of self-dealing, ethical lapses](#)
Company Town | Los Angeles Times

Also
[HFPA Faces New Scrutiny Amid Report of High Payments to Members, Lack of Black Members](#)
Variety

Performing Arts

Music

[Jerrika Mighelle Processes a Loved One's Death on New Album 'Brightest Star'](#)
Volume One Magazine

[Endangered jazz history faces greater risk with the pandemic](#)
Axios

Presenting

[Notable Minority Executives: Kendra Whitlock Ingram](#)
BizTimes Milwaukee

Theater

[Wisconsin-Based Theater Company Looks to Collaborate](#)
Shepherd Express

[SOS: Ticket seller responds promptly, and with stealth, to provide refund](#)
Wisconsin State Journal

Other

[Don't Overlook Succession Planning](#)
NonProfit Pro

[It's Time to Shift the Power Inequities Among Arts Nonprofits](#)
Opinion | Hyperallergic

[Donors in Trouble Pose a Quandary for Nonprofits](#)
The Chronicle of Philanthropy

WHEN YOU GO

Arts and Creativity in Education

[Award-winning authors to give virtual readings for Ripon College](#)
Ripon Commonwealth Press
February 24, March 10

[ONLINE: Eddie R. Cole](#)
Isthmus
March 4

Literary Arts/Libraries

[MCPL to offer 3D rainbow mobile craft for kids this March](#)
Wausau Pilot & Review
March 1 – 31

[Jefferson Public Library announces its spring virtual speaker series](#)
Watertown Daily Times
March 10

[MCPL Book Clubs: March 2021](#)
Wausau Pilot & Review
Various

Media Arts

[Virtual Film Festival Celebrates Black History Month With Films Such As 'Growing Up Milwaukee'](#)
The Morning Show | Wisconsin Public Radio
Through February

Beloit International Film Festival returns virtually for 2021

WKOW

Through February 28

Nine films to stream at this year's Beloit International Film Festival

The Capital Times

Through February 28

Wisconsin Women in Film and TV Listening Session Registration Form

WI-WIFT

February 23

New PBS Wisconsin Program Spotlights State Natural Areas And State Parks

Urban Milwaukee

March 1

BETA Virtual Film Club

Wisconsin Public Radio

April 22

Performing Arts

Theater/Opera

Warren Gerds/Critic at Large: 'Bent Compass' play set Feb. 24 as online offering in Green Bay

WeAreGreenBay.com

February 24

Take a Voyage with the Florentine Opera

Urban Milwaukee

Various

OPPORTUNITIES

February 2021 Opportunities: Grants, Fellowships, and Open Calls for Artists

Colossal

Various | February & March

Pandemic Portraits

Nicolet College Art Gallery

Accepting work through April 24

Academy of American Poets Laureate Fellowships

Academy of American Poets

Deadline: February 23

Call For Artists: Mural Project Commemorating Women's Right To Vote
Arts Midwest & CREATE Portage County
Deadline: February 25

2021 Public Art Conservation Fund Application and Guidelines
Milwaukee Arts Board
Deadline: February 26

Submit your artwork to Doodle for Google
Google
Deadline: February 26

Gottlieb Foundation Invites Applications for Individual Support Grants
PND by Candid
Deadline: February 26

How to Build Your Website: A Workshop for Artists with Paul (A two-part Virtual Workshop)
Mary Nohl Fellowships | Lynden Sculpture Garden
February 27 – 1-2:30 pm: The Details that Make the Big Picture

ArtsLink Back Apartment Residencies for US Artists and Curators in St. Petersburg, Russia
CEC ArtsLink
Deadline: March 1 extended

Art Prospect Network Residencies for US Artists and Curators
CEC ArtsLink
Deadline: March 1 extended

Now Accepting Applications for the 2022 Creative Capital Awards
Creative Capital
Deadline: March 1

Houston Center for Contemporary Craft Invites Applications for Artist Residencies
PND by Candid
Deadline: March 1

Guild of Carillonneurs in North America Invites Applications for Carillon Study
PND by Candid
Deadline: March 1

Poetry Foundation Welcomes Applications for Emergency Grants Fund
PND by Candid
Deadline: March 1

Jim Henson Foundation Invites LOIs for Creation of Live Puppet Theater
PND by Candid
Deadline: March 8 (Letters of Intent)

2021 VSA Playwright Discovery Competition

VSA The Kennedy Center

Deadline: March 10

Building Collective Power for Latinx Arts: Applications open for 2021 NALAC Leadership Institute

National Association of Latino Arts and Cultures

Deadline: March 11

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Jorge M. Perez Family Foundation Accepting Applications for 2021 Jorge and Darlene Perez Prize in Public Art and Design

PND by Candid

Deadline: March 15

Roswell Artist-in-Residence Program Invites Applications From Visual Artists

PND by Candid

Deadline: March 15

Driftless Area Art Festival application deadline March 15

Driftless Journal

Deadline: March 15

College Art Association Accepting Applications for Scholarly Art Book Projects

PND by Candid

Deadline: March 15

2021 Fiction and Poetry Contest

Wisconsin People and Ideas | Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters

Deadline: March 15

Wisconsin Business World and Kwik Trip announce competitions for middle- and high-schoolers

News8000.com

Deadline: March 15

Call for Artists | 41st Annual SECURA Fine Arts Exhibition

Trout Museum of Art, ZAPP

Deadline: March 15

Expo 2020 Dubai: Cultural Performer Expression of Interest

Global Ties U.S.

Global Ties U.S. reserves the right to close the nomination form prior to the March 15, 2021 deadline

Terra Foundation for American Art Invites LOIs for Academic Workshop & Symposium Grants

PND by Candid

Deadline: March 16 (Letters of Inquiry)

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PND by Candid

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Call for submissions | Folk Arts and Creative Writing

Journal of Folklore and Education

Deadline: April 1

6x6x2021 - The International Small Art Phenomenon

Rochester Contemporary Art Center

Deadline: April 10

The Latin GRAMMY Cultural Foundation® launches its season of giving with the Juanes Scholarship

Latin GRAMMY Cultural Foundation

Deadline: April 10

Bogliasco Foundation Welcomes Applications for Special Fellowships in the Arts and Humanities

PND by Candid

Deadline: April 15

13th Annual Juried Art Exhibition | Horizontal Grandeur

Stevens County (MN) Historical Society & Museum

Deadline: April 30

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Deadline: April 30

Sculpture Park opens submissions

Stevens Point News

Deadline: May 21

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund

Awards & Grants | American Library Association

Deadline: None. Monthly Review

Open Grant Solicitations

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State

Various

Do you want people throughout Wisconsin to know about your upcoming arts events or opportunities? Then enter your calendar information on Portalwisconsin.org. Portalwisconsin.org is an online resource, to search, schedule, and discover Wisconsin's arts, culture, humanities, and history. The site features a calendar, searchable options by interest area and geographic regions, digital media, classes, chats, and monthly highlights.

Agencies interested in posting information should go to www.portalwisconsin.org/participate.cfm

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